

LAYERED CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

Layered Curriculum:

1. Is a management system. A system for organizing the materials and tasks in a unit, and a way to manage the student's activities in the classroom.
2. Is designed to meet the educational needs of all students, in all learning styles.
3. provides students opportunities to work alone, with partners, and in small groups as the need arises.
4. fosters the students opportunities to make choices and decisions concerning their learning.
5. provides learning opportunities organized from the knowledge (remembering) level to the evaluation (creating) level of Blooms Taxonomy.
6. gives you the freedom to interact with every student every day.
7. provides the Teacher the opportunity to make the students accountable for their learning for each assignment, for each day.
8. encourages the motivated students to work as fast as they wish, not having to wait for the rest of the class.
9. Allows students who work slower to have success without feeling the pressure of competing with who work faster.
10. provides Teachers the time to give special attention to students needing extra help and support.
11. provides opportunities for all learning styles to be addressed.
12. allows students a choice in their learning program
13. allows the Teacher to access, formally and informally, students progress through every assignment.
14. provides the opportunity to make informal assessments, formal assessments and performance assessments.